

**LABORATORY SPECIMEN SAMPLER  
WITH INTEGRATED SPECIMEN MOUNT**

**ABSTRACT OF THE DISCLOSURE**

The present invention provides a sampler for collecting a specimen of a substance. In one embodiment, the sampler comprises a sampler body, a platen having first and second opposing sides wherein the first side is coupleable to an end of the sampler body, and a sampling medium coupleable to the second side and configured to retain a specimen of a substance thereon.